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Applicant(s): Ichiro Hamada

Invention: DIGITAL BROADCAST RECEIVER, RECORDING APPARATUS AND DATA RECORDING  
METHOD

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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed December 10, 2004, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.